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In re Patent Application of:
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For: AUTHENTICATING DEVICE,
AUTHENTICATED DEVICE AND KEY
UPDATING METHOD

Examiner: B. S. Squires

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the final Office Action dated May 21, 2009 rejecting claims 1-4 please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.